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Office Action Summary

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Applicant(s)

JUNG ET AL.

Examiner

Pedram Parvini

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Status

- 1) ☐ Responsive to communication(s) filed on ____.
- 2a) ☐ This action is **FINAL**. 2b) ☒ This action is non-final.
- 3) ☐ Since this application is in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under *Ex parte Quayle*, 1935 C.D. 11, 453 O.G. 213.

Disposition of Claims

- 4) ☒ Claim(s) 1-35 is/are pending in the application.
- 4a) Of the above claim(s) 1-17 and 20-33 is/are withdrawn from consideration.
- 5) ☐ Claim(s) ____ is/are allowed.
- 6) ☐ Claim(s) 18, 19, 34 and 35 is/are rejected.
- 7) ☐ Claim(s) ____ is/are objected to.
- 8) ☐ Claim(s) ____ are subject to restriction and/or election requirement.

Application Papers

- 9) ☐ The specification is objected to by the Examiner.
- 10) ☒ The drawing(s) filed on 16 April 2004 is/are: a) ☒ accepted or b) ☐ objected to by the Examiner.
Applicant may not request that any objection to the drawing(s) be held in abeyance. See 37 CFR 1.85(a).
Replacement drawing sheet(s) including the correction is required if the drawing(s) is objected to. See 37 CFR 1.121(d).
- 11) ☐ The oath or declaration is objected to by the Examiner. Note the attached Office Action or form PTO-152.

Priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119

- 12) ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
- a) ☐ All b) ☐ Some * c) ☐ None of:
1. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
2. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. ____.
3. ☐ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this National Stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).

* See the attached detailed Office action for a list of the certified copies not received. .

Attachment(s)

- 1) ☒ Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
- 2) ☐ Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)
- 3) ☒ Information Disclosure Statement(s) (PTO/SB/08)
Paper No(s)/Mail Date 02/7/05, 08/11/06, 08/25/06
- 4) ☐ Interview Summary (PTO-413)
Paper No(s)/Mail Date. ____.
- 5) ☐ Notice of Informal Patent Application
- 6) ☐ Other: ____.

DETAILED ACTION***Election/Restrictions***

Applicant's election of group II claims 18,19,34 and 35 in the reply filed on December 15, 2006 is acknowledged. Because applicant did not distinctly and specifically point out the supposed errors in the restriction requirement, the election has been treated as an election without traverse (MPEP § 818.03(a)).

Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 103

Claims 18,19,34 and 35 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over admitted prior art in view of Brand et al. (US 6383292). As to claims 18 and 34, admitted prior art discloses method of fabricating a liquid crystal display panel in which the liquid crystal display panel has a color filter substrate and thin film transistor array substrate facing each other, and liquid crystal layer positioned between the color filter substrate and the thin film transistor array substrate (Specification paragraph 0003). Admitted prior art also stated the thin film transistor array and the color filter substrate are attached together in order to form the seal pattern (Specification paragraph 0012 and 0016). The admitted prior art disclose use of plurality of syringes (Fig 3, parts 301A, 301B and 301 C, also paragraph 0018); but applicant claims a syringe with plurality of nozzles. Brand however discloses a dispensing apparatus comprises a plurality of orifices connect to an orifice support (Col.3 lines 32-34) which lead to increase the speed of fabrication (Col.2 lines 8-10). It would have been obvious to a person with ordinary skill in the art at the time the invention was

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made to use plurality of nozzles as taught by Brand in the syringe an method of the admitted prior art in order to increase speed of fabrication.

As to claim 19 and 35, one applying the teachings of Brand et al to the Fig. 3 embodiment of the admitted prior art would provide 3 syringes with 2 nozzles each.

Conclusion

The prior art made of record and not relied upon is considered pertinent to applicant's disclosure. Rich (US 6942735) and Nakatsukasa (US 2004/0118340) which are related to use of multi nozzles in the spraying and coating devices.

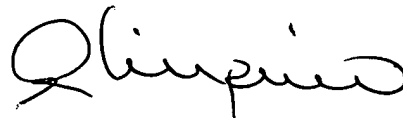
Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Pedram Parvini whose telephone number is 571-272-6538. The examiner can normally be reached on 8:00-4:30 Monday-Friday.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Richard Crispino can be reached on 571-272-1226. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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